

## **AWVSRP Oversight Committees**

### **City of Seattle Sponsored Committees:**

***Special Committee on the AWVSRP and Central Waterfront Planning*** – Meeting June 21, July 6, 19, August 2, 16, September 7, 20 after 2pm Full Council meeting with additional meeting dates throughout summer 2010 as needed. Co-Chairs Bagshaw, Clark and Rasmussen.

Purpose: The Special Committee on the AWVSRP and Central Waterfront Planning provides for coordinated City Council oversight of the bored tunnel project and the waterfront and seawall designs. Through meetings of this Special Committee, the Council will assert Seattle interests at each stage of the project. The committee will analyze, review, and as appropriate, act on Alaskan Way Viaduct and Seawall Replacement Program proposals and legislation including steps to implement the Bored Tunnel Alternative, the Moving Forward projects, and the seawall replacement; agreements between the City and WSDOT; and all mitigation plans and efforts. Council will review the State's analysis of tolling options and provide policy guidance reflecting the City's interests, review executive proposals for implementing new Seawall Bond measure, Transportation Benefit District and increased Commercial Parking Tax to support City projects, and review the Executive's preliminary analysis of a potential new Local Improvement District. Furthermore, the committee will review, monitor and act on plans, strategies and partnerships for the management, use and programming of new public spaces on the Central Waterfront. The Committee will also review and act on development or redevelopment of the Parks Department's waterfront properties on the Central Waterfront, including the Central Waterfront Master Plan for Piers 57-63 (Alaskan Way Landing).

Website: <http://www.seattle.gov/council/issues/viaduct.htm>

Membership: All City Councilmembers

***Central Waterfront Partnerships Committee*** – Meets 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of every month, Co-Chairs Maggie Walker and Charles Royer.

Purpose: The Central Waterfront Partnerships Committee will recommend models for the management, use and programming of new public spaces on the Central Waterfront. It will advise the Mayor and Council on the strategies and partnerships necessary to successfully develop and manage new public spaces, looking both at the Alaskan Way Viaduct Seawall Replacement Program (AWVSRP) specifically, as well as broadly at the neighborhoods bordering Elliott Bay and connections to major Center City destinations.

Outcomes: The Committee's work will culminate in a set of specific recommendations to the Mayor and Council in each of the topic areas described above by September 2010. The Committee will be run in an open and transparent manner, with early and frequent public open houses to allow broad public input in forming recommendations

Website: [http://www.seattle.gov/DPD/Planning/Central\\_Waterfront/Overview/](http://www.seattle.gov/DPD/Planning/Central_Waterfront/Overview/)

Membership:

**At-Large Members**

Carol Binder  
Mahlon Clements  
Joshua Curtis  
Bob Davidson  
Bob Donegan  
Kathy Fletcher  
Gary Glant  
Patrick Gordon  
Craig Hanway  
John Halliday  
Gerry Johnson  
Greg Johnson  
James Kelly  
Donald King  
Bob Klein

Ed Medeiros  
Cary Moon  
John Nesholm  
Jan O'Connor  
John Odland  
Vlad Oustimovich  
Mike Peringer

Mark Reddington  
Chris Rogers  
Charley Royer  
Laine Ross  
Catherine Stanford  
Brian Steinberg  
Ron Turner  
Todd Vogel  
Margaret Walker  
Maiko Winkler-Chin  
Michael Woo  
Martha Wyckoff

**City Boards and Commissions Reps**

Josh Brower, Seattle Planning Commission  
Mary Johnston, Seattle Design Commission  
Donna Kostka, Seattle Board of Park Commissioners

**Ex-Officio Members**

Peter Hahn, Seattle Department of Transportation  
Christopher Williams, Seattle Department of Parks and Recreation  
Diane Sugimura, Seattle Department of Planning and Development  
Joe McWilliams, Port of Seattle

**Regional Committee:**

***Governor's Project Oversight Committee: Meets quarterly, TBD***

Purpose: Review and comment on the work of the decision-making process related to the replacement of the AWW and the progress of various project proposals. A single source of accountability for integration, coordination, tracking and information of all requisite components of the replacement projects. Represents all the primary funders of the project.

Membership: Governor, KC Exec, Mayor of Seattle, Chairs of State House and Senate Transportation Committees, one member of the King and Seattle City Councils, Port of Seattle representative.

Website: <http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/Projects/Viaduct/default.htm>

## **WSDOT Sponsored Committees:**

**Working Groups:** Meet monthly, meeting dates and times can be found here:

<http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/Projects/Viaduct/Calendar.htm>

The state, King County and Seattle departments of transportation established working groups in April 2009 to help inform the design and environmental review process for the viaduct's central replacement.

The working groups are focusing on the following areas:

- The **north portal working group**\* discusses access into and around the north entrance to the proposed bored tunnel, urban design features and construction plans. This group also discusses city street improvements, including aspects of the two-way Mercer Street project.
- The **south portal working group**\* discusses access into and around the south entrance to the proposed bored tunnel, urban design features and construction plans.
- The **central waterfront working group**\* discusses the surface street configuration along the waterfront, including the connection to Elliott and Western avenues; waterfront traffic operations; the seawall replacement and the new waterfront promenade.

Membership: Represents neighborhoods, business and freight interests, and other interest groups, provide comments and feedback to the program team on design and mobility issues and communicate the information to their constituencies. The Port of Seattle also participates in working group meetings.

*\*See membership lists below for individual Work Groups.*

Website: <http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/Projects/Viaduct/advisorygroups.htm>

### North Portal Membership:

Glenn Avery, Queen Anne Community Council  
David Brown, Pacific Northwest Ballet  
Sharon Coleman, Vulcan  
John Coney, Uptown Alliance  
David Delfs, Magnolia/Queen Anne/South Lake Union Design Review Board  
Tom Graff, Belltown Business Association  
Bob Grossman, South Lake Union Friends & Neighbors  
Ron Hildebrandt, Trident Seafoods at Interbay  
David Hiller, Cascade Bicycle Club  
Kevin Hughes, Pacific Science Center  
John Kane, BINMIC  
Bill LaBorde, Transportation Choices Coalition  
Jose D. Montaño, Magnolia Community Club  
Robert Nellams, Seattle Center  
Lee Newgent, Seattle/KC Building & Construction Trades Council  
Vince O'Halloran, Puget Sound Ports Council & Sailors Union of the Pacific  
Kim Suelze, CityIce Cold Storage  
Marko Tubic, Fremont Chamber of Commerce  
Lisa Verhovek, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

Bob Viggers, Charlie's Produce  
Elaine Wine, Ballard Neighborhood  
TBD, Futurewise  
TBD, Greater Queen Anne Chamber of Commerce

South Portal Membership:

Linda Anderson, Amalgamated Transit Union  
Bill Bloxom, Bloxom Company  
Jerome Cohen, West Seattle Chamber of Commerce  
Barbara Cole, Frye Apartments  
Lisa Dixon, Pioneer Square Community Association  
Al Hobart, Joint Council of Teamsters No. 28  
John Huey, Viking Bank  
Ron Kieswether, Oak Harbor Freight Lines  
Don Newby, Burien  
John Odland, MacMillan-Piper  
Marty Oppenheimer, South Park  
Vlad Oustimovitch, West Seattle  
Mike Peringer, SODO Business Association  
Joyce Pisnanont, International District  
Lisa Quinn, Feet First  
Susan Ranf, Seattle Mariners  
Paul Schieck, Seattle Seahawks  
Ed Shilley, Nucor Steel  
Pete Spalding, Delridge  
Brent Stavig, Starbucks  
Herald Ugles, International Longshore and Warehouse Union  
Bill Weise, Silver Cloud Inn  
Cynthia Welti, Mountains to Sound Greenway Trust

Central Waterfront Membership:

Warren Aakervik, Ballard Oil  
Zander Batchelder, Belltown Community Council  
Carol Binder, Pike Place Market  
Patrick Binion, Columbia Distributors  
Carol Burton, Magnolia/Queen Anne District Council  
Craig Curtis, American Institute of Architects  
Karen Daubert, Seattle Parks Foundation  
Bob Davidson, Seattle Aquarium Society  
Bob Donegan, Seattle Historic Waterfront Coalition  
David Freiboth, King County Labor Council  
Adam Hasson, Pioneer Square  
Dave Janis, Bicycle Alliance of Washington  
Cary Moon, People's Waterfront Coalition  
Ralph Pease, Argosy  
Chas Redmond, Feet First

Ron Severt, Space Needle  
Rob Sexton, Downtown Seattle Association  
Brian Steinburg, Allied Arts  
Heather Trim, People for Puget Sound  
Mark Wainwright, Admiral Neighborhood Association  
Tayloe Washburn, Greater Seattle Chamber of Commerce  
Peter Whitehead, Nelson Trucking  
Leila Wilke, Seattle Art Museum/ Sculpture Park  
TBD\* Waterfront neighborhood  
TBD\* Ballard neighborhood